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Case 8483MC

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/757,583
Applicant(s) : Deak et al.
Filed : January 14, 2004
Title : PROCESS FOR TREATING A LIPOPHILIC FLUID
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Examiner : Charles Boyer
Conf. No. : 4518
Docket No. : 8483MC
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Dear Sir:

REQUEST FOR CONTINUING EXAMINATION

This is a complete response to the Final Office Action mailed February 9, 2005. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner continue examination of the present application in view of the present amendments and accompanying remarks.

A one-month extension of time is respectfully requested

AMENDMENTS

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.